

STATE OF NEW YORK

LEGISLATURE OF ERIE COUNTY

BUFFALO, N.Y., MAY 10TH 2012 A.D.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That at a regular session of the Legislature of Erie County, held in the County Hall, in the City of Buffalo, on the 10th day of May, 2012, A.D., a resolution was adopted, of which the following is a true copy:

WHEREAS, Jeffrey Gramlich, grew up in the Town of Tonawanda, graduating from Kenmore West High School in 2002; and

WHEREAS, Jeffrey Gramlich served in the United States Marine Corps, having served prolonged tours of duty in Iraq and Afghanistan; and

WHEREAS, Jeffrey Gramlich has earned his bachelor's degree in business from Medaille College and is working on a master's in organizational leadership; and

WHEREAS, Jeffrey Gramlich has received Medaille College's Founder's Day Award for his past role as vice president of the Student Veterans of America organization at the school, where he raised money to represent the school at the national conference; organized Veterans Day and flag raising events; and orchestrated a first-of-its kind 9/11 commemoration; and

WHEREAS, Jeffrey Gramlich served as captain of the school's hockey team as an undergraduate athlete, and went on to become the director of the hockey program after graduation; and

WHEREAS, Jeffrey Gramlich now plays center for the Buffalo Sabres Warriors, a veterans travel hockey team recently formed with cooperation from the Department of Veterans Affairs made up of soldiers who have suffered serious disabilities, including sled hockey for amputees; and ,

WHEREAS, Jeffrey Gramlich serves as a mentor for veterans in Buffalo's innovative Veterans Court; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED, the Erie County Legislature pauses in its deliberations to recognize and honor Jeffrey Gramlich on receiving the Medaille College's Founders Day Award, and for his commitment to the community.

Kevin R. Hardwick
Erie County Legislator – 4th District

Robert M. Graber
Clerk of the Legislature